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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Tomoyuki OBARA : GROUP ART UNIT: 3612

SERIAL NO: 09/786,369 : EXAMINER: P. ENGLE

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FOR: DOOR TRIM STRUCTURE FOR:

AUTOMOBILES

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 11, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application, as follows:

IN THE DRAWING:

Filed herewith are corrected formal drawings in response to the Examiner's approval of the proposed drawing changes filed with the Amendment filed on May 7, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 8-10, without prejudice or disclaimer, and amend claim 1 as shown in clean form below. A Marked-Up Copy of the amended claims is attached.

1. (Amended) A door trim structure for automobiles, which is made of a thermoplastic resin and of which an inner door and a door trim are integrally blow-molded, wherein the inner door panel includes a functional member attachment portion integrated with the inner door panel.

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